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PERFORMING ARTS CENTER ★ SOUTH BEND, IN

**MORRIS PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
NAMED 2007 PRIME SITE AWARD WINNER**

The Morris Performing Arts Center located in downtown South Bend has once again been named **2007 Prime Site Award Winner** by Facilities Magazine. Prime Site Awards are based on the opinions of those in the entertainment industry directly involved with site selection – booking agents, promoters, talent buyers and special event planners. By winning a Prime Site Award, the Morris staff is congratulated on doing a fine job of serving event clientele.

The Morris was built in 1921, is listed in the National Register of Historic Places and completed a restoration and renovation process in 2000 with a new state-of-the-art stage house and the interior restored to its original vaudeville splendor. The theater hosts a wide variety of concerts, national Broadway touring musicals, symphony, dance, comedians, and is home to the South Bend Symphony Orchestra and Broadway Theatre League. The Morris has a seating capacity of 2,560 and is consistently ranked by Pollstar concert industry magazine among the top 50 theaters worldwide. The Morris is the HOTTEST TICKET in Northwest Indiana for live entertainment with the Palais Royale being South Bend's premier banquet facility! Visit The Morris and Palais Royale websites at www.MorrisCenter.org and www.PalaisRoyale.org for a full calendar of events and services.

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